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History of Bethel.

By Dr. N. T. True.

CHAPTER LXXX.

MINISTERS.

Rev. Daniel Gould.

The town had been visited by ministers of the Congregationalist, Calvinist Baptist, and Methodist denominations before the close of the last century, and it was about the year of its close that these three denominations made such organizations as enabled them to have regular preaching.

Rev. Daniel Gould was the first settled minister in town. He was born in Topsfield, Mass., Dec 8, 1753, and was baptized the next day. His father was Dea. Daniel Gould. He was a man of considerable property, and died when his son was four [illegible] years old.

Daniel was desirous of obtaining a liberal education, but his guardians opposed him in his inclinations, and refused to furnish the means, and as he was of a feeble constitution, they apprenticed him three years to a shoemaker. During his apprenticeship he spent his leisure moments in fitting for college. Like many others who have acquired an education and distinction, he regarded his minutes as golden moments to be improved as they passed along. Many, no doubt, were the discouragements that beset the young shoemaker as he strove to overcome difficulties in his desire for an education. In this way he pursued his studies and his apprenticeship, till he was nearly fitted for college. Before entering college he spent a short time in completing his preparations in Byfield with Rev. Mr. Moody.

As a student he appears to have sustained a respectable rank as a linguist, and especially as a mathematician. He appears to have maintained a fondness for mathematics till late in life. We have in our possession his calculations for the great eclipse of 1806. The figures and plans are very neatly executed.

He also assisted Prof. Williams of Harvard College in calculating the Solar Eclipse of 1782, of which he left on record a written account. He also has left observations on a Lunar Eclipse in 1790. Among his text books are standard works on Astronomy and Mathematics.

He wrote a neat hand, and was fond of inserting his name in his text books with some moral precept, sometimes done in rhyme. He entered Harvard College in 1778 and graduated in 1782 in a class of forty five. Among his classmates was Stephen Van Rensselaer, L. L. D., of New York.

Pursuing his course as he did during the exciting times of the Revolution, it was not a little to his credit that he should pursue and graduate without being interrupted in his studies.

Immediately after his graduation he was connected with the Continental Army, in all, about a year, till peace was declared. He was then employed as a teacher in many places for a period of twelve or fifteen years. He studied theology with his former preceptor, Rev. Mr. Moody, of Byfield. His name is not found on the church records of Topsfield. There was a vacancy in the ministry in his native town for many years, and it is probable that he united with the church during that time. There is a record of the admission of Daniel Gould and wife into the church Dec 7, 1783, but my informant thinks that he was not married at that date and that it must have been another.

We do not find any record of the time when or where he was he used to preach. He came to Bethel and preached as a candidate for settlement in 1798-9. Rev. Caleb Bradbury who has outlived several generations of ministers was also a candidate for settlement. On a vote of the Parish, Mr Gould had a majority of one vote. A division arose in the parish and several united with the the Baptists.

He was ordained in Massachusetts, previous to his settlement in Bethel, and was installed over the Congregationalist Church and Parish, in October 1799. The sermon was preached by Rev. Wm. Fessenden of Fryeburg.

The Church voted to give him one hundred and fifty dollars as a settlement at his installation, and to raise one hundred and sixty dollars for his salary, and that ten dollars be added each year till it reached two hundred dollars, which was afterwards to be his regular salary. His wood was also to be furnished gratuitously by the people.

Such was the apparently small beginning of ministerial effort at that time, but which was, perhaps, a greater effort on the part of the people, than is demanded of the same parish at the present time.

Mr. Gould's ministry does not appear to have been altogether a happy one. Influences that were brought to bear against him at the time of his settlement seemed to increase during his ministry in Bethel. He continued as pastor till 1809 when he was dismissed. Still the town is much indebted to Mr. Gould for his character. He opened a school for young men in his own house where they could resort and fit for college or for a profession. Many who have since distinguished themselves, availed themselves of his instruction. In this way he developed the educational interests of the town, far beyond that of most towns at that time. He is represented as having indulged in good humor and wit which was thought by some to have given him too great levity of manner for the ministry. Twenty-nine persons united with the church in Bethel during his ministry.

His college text books were all preserved by him and are now deposited in Gould's Academy. College studies and discipline were quite as severe at that time as now, as may be seen by the various annotations made by himself during that period.

He continued to reside in Bethel till 1809 when he removed to Rumford where he was installed pastor of the church there May 31, 1811. He continued pastor for several years till old age compelled him to resign. He is still remembered, holding his sermon close to his eyes, from which he never removed it till it was finished.

We have heard many anecdotes of him during his residence in Bethel, though few of them are worthy of record.

It is said that one of his hearers expostulated with him for making such long prayers in church. "Well, then, if you are tired, sit down," was his reply.

As a neighbor he was peaceable.—On a certain occasion he had lost his corn, and though he had the strongest presumptive evidence who was the thief, he refused to move a step, but simply replied, "He will be his own greatest tormentor.

On a certain occasion a parishioner came to him to pay his tax, but not being able to advance the money, it was proposed that he should give his note. As Mr. Gould commenced writing, For value received, "That is not true," said the parishioner, "I have not received any value." Mr. G instead of being offended, laughed heartily and gave him his tax, as he belonged to another denomination.

He was neat in his personal appearance. In his cocked hat, black silk gown, and breeches, he was able to show the dignity of his position.—With his chaise, the first in town, he had certainly advantages over his less fortunate people. The social element was strong in him, and his fund of anecdotes was inexhaustible. On a certain occasion he was present at a "raising," and as was the custom of the day, he made a prayer just before the broadsides were erected. After the building was up and the toddy passed round, he turned to the owner who was a young married man, and proposed a sentiment, "May you live and enjoy many years of prosperity, and, I [illegible] to have said, may you have a hundred children."

In making his will he made a bequest to the Academy in Bethel, on condition that it should be named after him. Unfortunately but a part of what was supposed to belong to the Institution was ever realized. The fund so received is to be devoted to the purpose of paying the teacher for his services.

He was first married to Miss Lucy Tarbox of Topsfield. She died previous to his coming to Bethel. He lived in Bethel in the house built by Lieut. Jonathan Clark, which is still standing. He married for his second wife, Miss —— Foster of Boxford Mass. She lived in Bethel during her husband's ministry, and died in Rumford. He married for his third wife Widow Anna Rawson of Paris who still survives him and resides in Andover, Me. He never had any children. For sometime previous to his death he was totally blind. He died in Rumford, suddenly, while at dinner, and was buried at Rumford Centre, near where he resided.

As a writer we have no means of judging. The only specimen in our possession is his account of Lieut. Segar's Captivity, which was copied by him, but which could give no just clue to his powers. His theology and sermons probably were after the style of the day in which he lived.

There is an accurate portrait of him, taken when he was 72 years of age, now in possession of a nephew in Topsfield. It is to be hoped that Gould's Academy may yet come in possession of it.

His nearest surviving relations are nephews and nieces residing in his native town.

I have found much difficulty in collecting all the important facts of his history but hope that this sketch will lead others to furnish the author with such information respecting him as may be inserted in an appendix at the close of the volume.

For the Courier.

Wild Animals of Maine, No. 11.

—BY J. G. RICH.—

The American Black Bear.

"Ursus Americanus."

[CONTINUED.]

There is a pond called the cranberry bog, in the centre of township No 5, Range one; and this bog is a famous place for Bears they assemble there in droves, or have in times past. They are now not so plenty there. To illustrate how plenty they were, I shall have to refer to several items of interest which happened in my experience:

In the summer of 1841, I had four steel bear traps set around this bog and one day when I went to tend them, I found three bears in the three first traps and one had been in the fourth, and got out.

At another time I was spotting a line up through the alders at the head of the pond, and I heard something step which I took to be a moose. I had a single barrel gun with me, and I immediately dropped my axe and took my gun and crept along towards the sound, which appeared heavy by the cracking of bushes in that direction. No excitement can possibly equal this sudden approach of heavy game in your immediate vicinity and alone and far from all human aid. A man usually thinks of the chances of success and examines his weapons with zealous care and anxious look as he proceeds towards the object of his anxiety. This, likewise, was a moment of suspense and importance, and I could feel the blood rush from my heart to the extremities and back with a thrill and glow not entirely of pleasure, neither of fear, but of an indescribable uncertainty. After creeping along for a few rods I came into an open cover of grass and wild vine, about two rods square; and here in the centre of this opening and not more than two rods from me stood the very largest black bear I ever beheld, before or since, standing on his hind feet and looking extremely fierce at me as I came to a sudden halt before the beast.

My first thought was, what I should do in case my gun missed, or if I should wound him in so near a proximity; I could not hope for a successful fight, and without my large knife, (which I had left at home,) how could I hope to succeed in close quarters with so powerful an animal. But I did not stop long to deliberate on these subjects, as the bear in less than thirty seconds wheeled on his haunches and jumped in so vigorous a manner that I could not bring my gun to bear on him before he had covered himself with a bunch of alders and entirely secreted from my view—but quick as thought I leveled at the bushes behind which the bear had gone and fired.

This course was not wise in me as I had but one chance with my gun, and being very liable to wound and enrage him, in which case I have to acknowledge the chances highly in favour of the bear. The bear did not stir, and I immediately reloaded and started towards the bunch of bushes which concealed the bear from view. I had not gone far when, the brute left his hiding place with a rush and a champ, which those acquainted with the animal will understand. And in a very active manner made a retreat toward the heavier growth of woods in this vicinity, and I could see him but an instant at a time and the swamp was so thick I could not get a sight on my gun.

I immediately set myself about devising a plan to capture him, and on examination found he had been digging about the brook and making paths in various directions, I therefore went down about one half a mile and got a trap which was set for bears at another point, and brought it up and set it in one of the paths that he had made, and then started for home. Before I got home and as I was going down the lake in my boat, I heard this bear roar in most alarming manner and the next day I went up to the bog again, for I had not time this day to return. I found he had gone off with the trap, and by following up I found that he had gone with the trap about three miles and when I came in sight of him he was very ferocious. He would scratch the leaves and earth for fifteen or twenty feet into the air for a minute and then jump very powerfully towards me, and to all appearance if he should succeed in getting clear of the trap would make mince meat of me. I shot him at the distance of six rods and fired at his head, but the bullets passed by his head into his heart, and when I opened him I found two bullets in his heart, although he did not appear to be wounded until I had got almost loaded the third time. I also found that when I fired at the bunch of alders the day before I put a ball through his hide four times, having gone through the flank of his hams. This was my largest bear.

WILLIAM WALKER'S MOVEMENTS.—The New Orleans *Picayune* says:

"Gen. William Walker, of whose departure from the island of Ruatan, on the 21st of June, we have before had accounts, arrived off the Yucatan coast, *en route* to Nicaragua, on the 1st ult. He had with him five vessels and five hundred men—all well equipped, full of spirits, and amply supplied with arms, ammunition, and provisions. From Ruatan, off which island the five vessels made their rendezvous, the voyage was a most prosperous one, and the whole fleet passed down the coast in splendid style. The expedition first came to anchor at the island of Cozumel, off the coast of Yucatan, where it remained communicating with the main land, and completing the preparations for the expedition, till the 20th ult. It then set sail for Nicaragua direct, where, it is believed, long ere this, to have effected a landing. While off the coast of Yucatan the expedition received large reinforcements of men, and was amply supplied with provisions."

VERMONT HORSES FOR THE FRENCH EMPEROR. A Newport letter to the New York *Post* states that the French Legation has lately visited Boston to approve the purchase by a well known horse dealer of five superb Vermont horses for the stables of the French Emperor, who already possesses twenty-four specimens of the same breed. The new horses are fifteen hands high, having a fine action and a speed of not less than 2.50. They are of the Emperor's favorite color, a deep bay, as are nearly all the Emperor's stock of four hundred, and their tails are of the natural length, with one exception. The cost was between $2000 and $3000 a pair.

A COOL CRIMINAL. A short time ago a man named Crandall made his escape from the Alleghany county jail. For the information of the curious he has lately written back the following account of the manner of his escape: "I suppose it is a mystery to some how I got away, consequently I will give you a brief history of my departure. The *modus operandi* was this: I got out of my cell by ingenuity, ran up stairs with agility, crawled out of the back window in secresy, slid down the lightning rod with rapidity, walked out of the angelic town with dignity, and am now basking in the sunshine of pleasure and liberty!"

LET THE CHILDREN SLEEP. We earnestly advise all who think a great deal, who have infirm health, who are in trouble, or who have to work hard, to take all the sleep they can get, without medical means.

We caution parents, particularly, not to allow their children to be waked up of mornings—let nature wake them up, she will not do it prematurely; but have a care that they go to bed at an earlier hour; let it be earlier and earlier, until it is found they wake up themselves in time to dress for breakfast. Being waked up early, and allowed to engage in difficult or any studies late, and just before retiring, has given many a beautiful and promising child, the brain fever, or determined ordinary ailments to the production of water on the brain.

Let parents make every possible effort to have their children go to sleep in a pleasant humor. Never scold or give lectures, or in any way wound a child's feelings as it goes to bed. Let all banish business and every worldly care at bed time, and let sleep come to mind at peace with God and all the world. *Exchange.*

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 31, 1860.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—All persons indebted for subscription to the BETHEL COURIER for one year or more, are requested to make immediate payment. tf

WANTED.—The back No's of the COURIER, containing the "*Wild Animals*," by J. G. Rich, are wanted at this office.

GROWLERS.

We dislike a growler. There is nothing in such a person's constitution to render himself or others happy. Everything and everybody annoys him. Such persons seem to be cross grained in their very constitution. They growl about their food, their minister, their physician, their merchant—in short, the whole neighborhood have to be rasped over by their merciless tongues once or twice a day. They remind us of two tigers in a cage, which though they have each a quarter of meat, will sit in opposite sides of their cage and growl at each other, instead of quietly eating their allowance. There are usually about two such persons in every five hundred inhabitants. To be sure, nobody cares a fig for their opinion. They rasp themselves up till finally there is nothing left of them. It is of no use to take any notice of a growler. Let them worry on. Let them look with an evil eye on their neighbor, and speak with an evil tongue against those who have never harmed them. Buzzing flies may be all around you, but it is only now and then one out of the many that really troubles you. Let them worry on.

☞ We have long been interested in the history of Frances Ellen, daughter of Mr. Charles Tubbs, of this village. When but a few weeks old she was attacked with dropsy on the brain which continued to increase till the age of four years, when her head alone weighed sixteen lbs. She is now 14 years old and weighs 85 lbs. She is four feet five inches in height. Her head measures 28 inches in circumference around the temples and forehead. Around the head, from the extremity of the chin to the extreme top of the head is 20 1-2 inches. The face from the chin to the hair on the forehead is 10 1-2 inches. Let any one measure themselves in this direction and they will see the difference. Her head now probably weighs about 20 lbs. Although the muscles of the neck appear well developed, she is unable to raise her head.

Her right side became paralyzed when quite young from which she has never recovered so as to use the right hand or foot, consequently she never walked. She is totally blind, though from some cause she can tell when a light is blown out in the room. She uses her left hand constantly to brush away the flies when they annoy her, but refuses to take anything in her hand, constantly manifesting fear whenever anything is placed in it. Her appetite is quite regular, and her hearing is remarkably acute. She knows everything ordinarily going on in the room by the sound.

What struck us specially was the remarkable activity of her mind in spite of the enormous adverse influences that have been made to bear on the brain. She is incessant in asking questions of her mother respecting everything that is going on. While we were present we enquired of her mother if she could count. She said that she could count a little. The daughter immediately spoke and said that "she could'nt count anything." "*I can't tell how much six times six is.*" "Yes you can," replied her mother. "Let me hear you." "*Six times six is thirty six*," was her immediate reply. She counts the strokes of the clock when it strikes, but continues her counting after it is done. Instead of asking for her father she enquired of her mother where her husband was. She remembers a story that has been told her so as to repeat it with tolerable correctness. She is able to spell very many ordinary words, and is acquainted with the powers of letters so far as to be able to commence spelling any word correctly. She will repeat couplets in poetry, and will readily catch a tune on hearing it.

But what makes her case peculiar, is the fact that she has not learned the forms of objects. Unable to handle anything, she learns to recognize everything by the sound. Space is recognized in the same way. She is fond of company and loves to ask questions and to hear stories, and will often surprise the visitor by the pertinency of her questions and answers.

Her case is one of more than ordinary interest to the physiologist and psychologist. Our acquaintance with her for ten years past has seemed to increase, rather than diminish our interest in her history. Instead of obtuseness of comprehension as is almost universally the case with those affected with that disease, there seems to be, in her case a remarkably sharp outline to all her mental operations as far as they extend.

PORTLAND. We always enjoy a trip to Portland. It seems to us more like home than any other city. The cordiality of its inhabitants, the constant meeting of old pupils who are now engaged in important trusts in business life; the beautiful location of the city, its public buildings, among which we must notice the new government building, which would be an ornament to any city, the Natural History building which is now ready to receive specimens,—all these things are full of interest. We well remember our first visit to Portland, 16 years ago. We approached the town in the night, and well recollect the appearance of a light house for the first time. The wind mills used by the inhabitants for grinding corn were as strange to us as they were to Don Quixote in his famous adventure. Then its harbor, one of the noblest on the continent, its accommodations for transportation by water or railway, its inner harbor, around the north shores of which ought to be laid out a street and where will one day be splendid residences, shadow forth to our mind without great stretch of the imagination a great city.

We took a trip down to Peak's Island one day last week, in a yacht, but we thought we should never arrive. Bro. Elwell was aboard and she moved along as if she was water-logged. We however did land, and found a crowd of people there who were enjoying the overshadowing fog exceedingly. Give us the clear, dry, bracing air of Bethel, instead of the foggy atmosphere of the ocean.

The following are the Democratic nominees for representatives to Congress:

1st District, Thomas M Hayes.
2nd District, Calvin Record
3rd District, Alfred W. Johnson.
4th District, Benj A. G. Fuller.
5th District, Samuel H. Blake.
6th District, Bion Bradbury.

The Republicans have also nominated as follows:

1st District, John N. Goodwin.
2nd District, Charles W. Walton.
3rd District, Samuel C. Fessenden.
4th District, Anson P. Morrill.
5th District, John H. Rice.
6th District, Frederick A. Pike.

On Wednesday last, the following officers were elected by the U. B. Society, for the ensuing term:

President—A. S. Twitchell, Bethel.

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L. D. BEAN, *Sec*

☞ We have received the following communication from our travelling correspondent, which we furnish our readers *verbatim et literatim.*—It will be read with interest:—

BOSTON, Aug. 24, 1860.

Dear Editor as i am a traveling i take pleasure i riting a few lines sine i came in to this city i have had a very good visit her Sine i left my home in ——— Charlestown Navy is a very Beautiful Place to Bee Seen as you pars down through the Gate at the rite you can Sea field of Beautiful Anchors not Such as you can rase in fields and as you turn to the left a large park is before you as you go further down there lies a large field of guns and a verr large man of war which carries 70 guns as you pars further down you come to a large rope hous where uncle Sam makes his ropes which are very large and strong as you pars back up to bunker hill you can see a large monument 200 feet heigh and the remains of the breastworks of 1776 and a rock where Genral warren fell as you go up on the monument the Seanery is beautifull the water in this cety is not like that in the country it is Salt and nasty Except at the old Pump on bunker hill which is very old

Good day mr Editor

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☞ The crops in many respects prove much better than was anticipated. We have heard it remarked that farmers generally find their grain harvest to hold out better than they anticipated. We find it so. The apple crop is very large in this vicinity. We hope our city merchants will find a market for our fruit abroad.

☞ We expect to hear large stories of great harvests in old Oxford.

☞ We notice the fact that all kinds of berries are larger than perhaps ever were known before. Even the giant [illegible] so plump as hardly to be recognized.

The Portland Advertiser says that in the Supreme Court in session in that city, Stephen and William Mayberry—father and son—were tried for an attempted fraud by inserting the little word [illegible] between the words do convey in a deed of land they gave. Stephen was sentenced to [illegible] years in the State Prison, and William to pay a fine of $500 and $62 [illegible].

☞ Be careful how you use Cobalt or Fly Poison. The article that goes under that name is nothing but rat's-bane colored black. Many persons who are frightened at the sign of rat's bane, will spread it on bread covered with molasses and then lay it around for the flies; but the baby gets hold of it, is poisoned and dies. Remember it is nothing but ARSENIC or RATSBANE.

ENTHUSIASTIC LADIES. We find the following paragraph in the Portland (Maine) Transcript:

"The ladies, in some instances, go into the political campaign with much spirit. We were amused at the manner in which they flung out their banners a few nights since. When one of our political organizations called at the house of a citizen about midnight and drew out a speech, his wife in her enthusiasm, having no handkerchief at hand, pulled her nightcap from her head and waved it vigorously. When the Wide-Awakes were on one of their night excursions some of the ladies at one of the stopping places on the road, having no white handkerchiefs to wave in the darkness, lifted their dresses and shook their white petticoats!"

☞ Bro. Knight is notified that the Courier is sent regularly to the Reporter. Some wicked fellow has taken it. They take them from our office just as fast as we can print 'em.

Benj Kimball, Esq., a member of the Penobscot bar, convicted of forging documents to procure a divorce from his wife, has been sentenced to two years hard labor in the State Prison.

It is now expected that the Prince of Wales will visit Portland and leave that city for Europe on his way home about the 20th of October. This will furnish not only a fine opportunity for our citizen to see the Prince, but to see some fine specimens of the British Navy. We always look to see great men and great ships when we have opportunity. It leaves an impression that no discription can possibly give.

We hope those two boys who were traveling on Broad Street on Wednesday night, injuring the fences by striking on them with a pole will desist, as they are known.

PLANTING POTATOES IN THE FALL. Chas. R. Paul, Esq., of Fort Fairfield, informs us that he tried the experiment last year, of planting potatoes in the fall, and the result is that he has potatoes now perfectly ripe, and yielding, he estimates, at the rate of 300 bushels to the acre. It is well known that potatoes accidentally left in the ground at digging time will always "come up" in the spring. We hope the experiment will be fully tried this fall. Mr. Paul says he shall plant a large piece and try it again.—*Aroostook Herald.*

DOUGH OVERDONE. A young man residing not a thousand miles from Beck street, being disappointed in going to the Bluff last Monday, consoled himself by consuming the following refreshments, in addition to three hearty meals: 5 sheets of gingerbread; 8 glasses of small beer; 5 glasses nectar; 3 large pickles; 20 cocoanut cakes; 6 oz chocolate cream drops; 10 eggs; 7 large apples; 1-2 pint peanuts; 4 cents worth of cheese, 1 stick candy; 1 pint new milk; 4 glasses ice water. And an emetic, which was ordered by a physician to save his valuable life for further duties. *Newburyport Herald*

The St. John steamer Eastern City ran upon a whale near Portland, one day last week, knocking off her [illegible] and causing a slight leak. A school of whales was in sight at this time, playing about, when suddenly one of them rose just forward of the bows, and was struck on the side, about two thirds the way back from the head, causing quite a shock to the vessel. The whale dove instantly and not being seen again was supposed to be killed. It was a large one, judged by those who saw it to be seventy five feet long.

Mr. John Kennard, of Lewiston, (of the firm of Walker & Kennard, shoe dealers) was drowned on Thursday last, while bathing in the canal in that town. It is supposed he was taken with the cramp while swimming.

ALUMINUM. A few years ago when this metal was first discovered, it cost £75 per pound, and this costliness insured its being regarded simply as an interesting product of ingenious science, while its intractability prevented any application of it to more ornamental or useful purposes that might have been suggested by its peculiar beauty, lightness, and color.—With better knowledge of it these difficulties are disappearing. A distinguished firm of manufacturing chemists in France engage to produce it at 25s per pound, which is only five times dearer than copper; when, in consequence of the great difference in their respective gravities, articles might be manufactured in aluminum at one tenth their cost in silver, possessing all the advantages of that costlier metal. Aluminum has also become more plastic in the hands of the chemist; modes have been discovered of soldering it, by combining it with zinc and copper, and of burnishing and gilding it without the intervention of other metals. By these processes a helmet was recently made for the King of Denmark of gilt aluminum; the total weight of which, including its lion crest, was only 1 1-2 pounds.

NARROW ESCAPE. One day last week, as a son of Mr. Reuben M Mansur was driving a span of horses attached to a hay rack, down the Varner hill, they became frightened and ran. Being under great headway, when they attempted to cross the bridge that leads to his house, they were unable to do so, and jumped off the bridge into the stream below, a distance of fourteen feet. Strange to say, beyond a few slight scratches, they sustained no injury. The driver was also unhurt.—*Houlton Democrat.*

An idea of the amount of ground in wheat may be gathered, says the Chicago Times and Herald, from the statement of a responsible gentleman of Janesville, who says that, with the assistance of a spy glass, he saw one hundred and forty-six reapers at work at one time. This is on the line of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad.

At Vergennes, Vt., there was a great flight of grasshoppers on Monday last. The air was filled with millions of the greedy insects, and those which flew the highest looked like thistle blows.

While the census taker was collecting his statistics in Seasmont, he found a girl thirteen years old, who was the mother of child of ten months.

Mr. Peter Williams of South Thomaston, while running after sheep in a pasture in that town on Monday, fell and broke his neck.

The towns of Waltham, Belmont and Watertown, in the vicinity of Boston, on Tuesday of last week were visited by a terrible storm of rain more severe than anything of the kind for forty years. The amount of rain that fell during the afternoon, was 5 3-4 inches, which is unprecedented. The towns were completely deluged, the railroad embankments washed away, cellars filled, streets gullied, and other damage done.

In Philadelphia, the other day, a mercantile firm advertised for "a young man in a counting house."—Though the salary offered was but one hundred dollars a year, during the three days in which their advertisement was in the paper they received no less than four hundred and twelve applications for the situation, of whom a large majority were penned by actual residents of the city languishing for want of employment.

Hon. Sumner Whitney of Presque Isle, has completed his public house, and it was opened on the 15th. A new house was much needed.

The Bangor Courier says: "we don't wonder that Senator Seward remembered the hard lessons of his boyhood, when he undertook to spell some of our down east Indian names, for the names of some of the Schoodic Lakes in the vicinity of Calais, are enough to frighten a man. For instance, Pokomoonshine, Wetequongygum, Alosquoit and Sebbelobskas—Then we have Lake Aphmoogenegamook, Nomjamskillicook, Mooseluncunticook, &c.

The New Haven Palladium says quite an excitement prevailed in that city on Monday, caused by the discovery that a bright star was visible high in the heavens and comparatively near the sun, between 11 and 1 o'clock. The New Haven people all became star gazers, and in every street there were people pointing out the phenomenon. It was very plainly seen, when once the eye had the right direction and was so bright as to astonish everybody. It was seen at an elevation of 40 to 50 degrees, and in a southeast direction.

A special Providence seemed to protect four little children sleeping in a room in New London, on Monday night, when the house was struck by lightning, and the subtle fluid shivered one bedstead and tore off the footboard of the other, without injuring in the least the innocents who were there reposing on the very bedsteads thus shattered and destroyed.

We understand that the Franklin Company of Lewiston give the Androscoggin Railroad company ten acres of land for a Depot in the rear of Jones Block, near the bridge.

A new hotel at St Anthony, Minn., cost $210 000 in the construction, and its furniture $50 000 more.

A lady in Portland stood upon a barrel to get a better view of the Wide Awakes. The head fell in, encasing her in a double set of hoops. She was fished out by an accommodating gentleman.

While a couple of ladies were seated in a passenger car, at the depot in Springfield, on Saturday, a couple of men entered, and without any formal ceremony transacted their business of robbing them of their money and jewelry, and making good their escape. One of the ladies fainted, the other screamed, the villains fled, a crowd rushed in, and all was over.

Up to Saturday morning week, twenty one cows, bitten by a mad dog, exhibited symptoms of hydrophobia in the vicinity of the Two Bridges, between Little Falls and Patterson, N. J. Of these nineteen have died. Ten other cattle were bitten by the same dog. The destruction caused by this one dog is estimated at fifteen hundred dollars.

An adder was killed in South Bridgton, a short time since, measuring over three feet in length, which was attended by fifty-two young ones.

A lad seventeen years old, who went from Monson, Mass., to New York to seek employment, was met by a rascally confidence operator who enticed him to Newark, N. J., under pretence of employing him, and then borrowed $8 of him—all he had—giving him in exchange a worthless $50 bill. The swindler then left the poor lad to get back to New York as best he could.

It has been discovered that the city of New York owns $50,000 worth of property in Williamsburg, which has never been entered on its list of real estate; and that a suit against private parties to eject them from land belonging to the city has remained in the courts undecided for twenty three years, the parties meanwhile in quiet possession of the premises!

A verdant up-country genius, while inspecting the navy yard at Kittery, Me., the other day, came across the loaded cannon which are kept to sound an alarm in case of fire or accident. The percussion locks exciting his curiosity, he pulled the trigger, when bang went the gun, blowing the fellow's vest half off and scaring him tremendously. He concluded that he had "seen the elephant" and at once started for home.

It is said the peach crop of Illinois will be immense. A range in Union and Jackson counties, twenty miles long and from five to seven miles wide, will produce at least *one million bushels*. A large amount of this immense crop will be distilled.

On the 20th inst., as Major Josiah Norris of Monson, was in the act of descending his well, forty feet deep, he fell from the surface to the bottom, striking his head in the descent, and otherwise injuring him so badly internally that he died the next day.

During the exhibition of fireworks at Quebec, on Wednesday evening, a platform on which a large number of people were seated, gave way, precipitating about a thousand persons to the ground. Several had limbs broken, while two or three were so badly injured that they are not expected to recover.

A boy named Holmes, during a temporary fit of insanity, left his state room and jumped overboard from the steamer [illegible] morning about 5 o'clock, [illegible] rescued by the prompt and [illegible] efforts of the officers of the [illegible]

Hungary, according to a late report on its commerce, is fully able to supply the whole of Great Britain with wine, now the duty has been abolished. Not merely are Hungarian wines said to be superior to French wines, more [illegible] of the Rhine, and more piquant than those of Spain; but the country can yield quantities of a secondary character calculated to meet any demand.

A young girl made complaint to the New York police a few days since that she had been terribly beaten by the keepers (a man and wife) of a disreputable house, where she had been engaged as a servant, because she would not submit to their base proposals. Also that a dog had been set upon her, the animal biting her through the hand. It was only after a desperate struggle that she escaped from the house. She is now lying in a critical condition. The miscreants who abused her have been arrested. The girl's appearance bore evidence of her outrageous treatment.

Farmer Johnson, who had got in his own hay, as he saw that a large quantity of his neighbor Jones' was down on Sunday afternoon, when it looked like rain, and he hurried over with all his men to lend a hand in getting it into the barn. Jones and all his boys were gone, and Mrs. Jones said that "her husband thought no good ever came of working Sundays, and so he and the boys had gone out to the pond a fishing."

We learn that a young lady in this city on Saturday afternoon in going into the front entry of her house observed a man going out of the door with some article of clothing, which he had abstracted. Nothing daunted the lady followed in pursuit of him through a number of streets and lanes. It happened that she saw no one to call upon until at last, espying a policeman at a distance, she waved her handkerchief to him. He caught the signal, and coming to her assistance also caught the rogue, who was secured with his plunder.—*Portland Courier.*

Mr. Samuel Wilson, the aeronaut who recently made an ascension from Pittsburg, Pa., has written a letter to the Boston *Traveller*, proposing to make that city a starting point for a voyage to Europe. Mr Wilson says he has constructed two balloons—one called the "Great Western," and the other the "American Eagle"—for this undertaking. He cannot obtain gas enough in Pittsburg to inflate his balloons. He desires to start about the first of October.

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A Freak of Nature. A rugged, healthy child was born in this city recently, one half of whose face, body, and one leg is nearly black, or what is termed copper colored.—*Bath T.*

Wasn't the other half the same color?

At a prayer meeting in the vestry of Trinity Church, Boston, Monday morning, Benjamin Howard, a well known merchant, was reading an interesting letter from a distant part of the Union about religious matters, when his voice failed, when he was in the middle of a sentence, and he took his seat. A moment after he fell over and instantly expired.

A CARD TO THE SUFFERING.

The Rev. William Cosgrove, while laboring as a missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician residing in the great city of Jeddo. This recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefitting others, I will send this recipe, which I have brought home with me, to all who need it, free of charge.

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See advertisement.

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The subscriber will send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the Recipe and directions for making a simple Vegetable Balm, that will, in [illegible] remove Pimples, Blotches, Tan, Freckles, Sallowness, and all impurities and roughness of the Skin, leaving the same [illegible] [illegible]. Those desiring [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] (without charge) [illegible] [illegible] postage.

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Sold by James Nutting, Bethel.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican voters of the Towns of Bethel, Newry, Hanover, Grafton, and Upton, and the Plantations of Riley, Lincoln, Andover North Surplus, and Hamlin's Grant, are [illegible] to meet at the Town House in Bethel, on Saturday, the first day of September next, at one of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to be supported by the Republicans of said Towns and Plantations as Representative to the next Legislature. Also—to transact any other business that may be thought proper at said meeting.

Per order of the Republican District Committee.
A. K. KNAPP, Chairman.
Hanover, July 30, 1860. 3w1

NOTICE.

Dr. O. M. Twitchell is administrator of the Estate of Dr. Almon Twitchell.

"Delays are dangerous."

Marriages.

In Bethel, 25th inst., by R. A. Frye Esq., Mr. Amos Wormell, to Miss Maria W. Holt, both of Bethel.

Deaths.

In West Bethel, 23d inst., Mrs. Olive, wife of Joseph Wheeler, aged 66 yrs.

In Yarmouth, 24th inst., Olive Gray, aged 81 yrs. 3 mos.

Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, &c

The accounts received from individuals from all parts of the country, who have used and been cured by the Oxygenated Bitters, are truly surprising. Diseases which have baffled the power of medicine as well as the skill of the physician, and subjected the patient to years of hopeless suffering have readily yielded to this all healing remedy.

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The use of one bottle warranted a further trial, to the extent of some three or four, with a careful observance of the accompanying directions. The result was, an almost entire relief from the usual dyspeptic symptoms and their depressing [illegible] consequences. I believe these bitters produced an entire change in the habits of the system and upon the active energies of the digestive organs. I now deem myself as exempt from Dyspepsia as most persons. These bitters have also been of service to other members of my family.

Very respectfully yours,
AUGUSTUS W. SMITH.

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Charlestown, Me., April 26, '53.

Messrs E. B. Maddox & Co.—In reply to [illegible], I would say that all the Weeks' Magic [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] I have [illegible] [illegible] with very little faith, but after a fair trial have recommended it in the highest [illegible].

Respectfully yours,
[illegible] GODFREY.

See Advertisement in another column.

To'a 'Anodyne' for Information.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] all cases of great [illegible] [illegible] and will be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and light Calisthenic [illegible] (without [illegible] [illegible] twice a week, on going to bed, will assist the [illegible] [illegible]. This also applies with nearly equal force in cases of [illegible] [illegible], Gout, and St. Vitus Dance. See advertisement and read the pamphlets.

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August 2, 1860. Artist.

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Instruction in the Ancient and Modern Languages will be given by the Principal. The Mathematical and Primary Department will be under the care of Miss Walker, whose qualifications for this department are well known in this school, and need no further recommendation.

Teacher's classes will be formed in Arithmetic, Grammar & Geography, in which students will be especially drilled with reference to winter schools.

Students should, as far as possible, be present on the first day of the term.

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For further information apply to the Principal.

Bethel Hill, July 15, 1860.

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MANHOOD.

HOW LOST, HOW RESTORED.

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JOHN GLIDDEN.
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November 10, 1859.

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JAMES E. AYER.
Bethel, June 29, 1860. 15

From the New England Farmer.

Farm Hints and Farm Facts.

Never set out an orchard with a view that in future time it will take care of itself. Remember first to subsoil, and like your hills of corn and potatoes, manure the land heavily from season to season; plant with potatoes or carrots to keep the earth mellow; avoid a grain crop, as in ripening, it reflects too intense a heat for young trees. This was my experience in a winter wheat field two successive years.

Never plant trees on poor soil, and expect thrift with large fruit.

Never crowd your trees, which is a very common error. Calculate their spread when fully grown, so that a good crop of hay may be taken off. Give them the full range of sun and atmosphere.

Never cultivate caterpillars instead of apples—the crops are uncongenial. One is money in the pocket, the other dirty, destructive and unprofitable. Give the farm boy a penny a nest, start him with the rising sun, and my word for it, his eagle eye and love for pennies will clear away this orchard pest, and return to you five dollars for every penny out of pocket. They are easily seen when the nest is found.

Never cease to fight the canker worm; while the few and easily slain, [illegible] thing has successfully battled and out generalled the whole staff of horticultural wisdom. Would not the fumes of fire and brimstone mixed with tar be a good application when the worms are feeding?

Never move among your trees without a heavy jack knife in your pocket, and an eye upward to redundant limbs; cutting here, sawing there, and giving shape early for the future, always remembering that the displaced limbs and twigs are by root and sap made up at once to the remaining branches. The Porter or Northern Spy incline to spiral or distaff tops, the Greening and Russet to spreading Branches; the Baldwin and Hubbardston Nonsuch to close bushy tops. Here the pruner must exercise judgment; how much easier to gather fruit when the tree is well opened, how much larger and fairer the fruit! It is the sun that draws out the full blush and gives the full flavor. Prove this by eating the apple or peach from the sunny or the shady side.

Never cultivate shade trees in your fields by the road side—rather make them fruit trees, that blossoms and may charm the traveler and reward the farmer with a good round income. Anything out of place is not ornamental. Give the shade tree a place in the roadway and around your buildings, especially—it shows taste and refinement. The New England towering elm is the unrivaled emblem of majesty.

Never neglect the little quince tree that can grow in niches and corners; cultivate it as a tree, and not as usual as a bunch of bushes. A fine stone wall interlined with a quince tree hedge at eight feet distances, is highly ornamental and profitable. How easy to grow quinces.

Never forget the birds, whose music awakes you at early dawn, and who sing you to sleep in the late, lingering twilight. Give the robin an extra cherry tree and a strawberry bed. Build a house for the wren, the martin and the swallow; help them to feed their twittering young. How much are they daily helping you! Cultivate their and all birds acquaintance socially, not as enemies, because their tastes are so refined as to love your strawberries and cherries.

The crow offends by pulling up your corn, yet he is the unpaid scavenger in removing offal and numerous vermin that annoy you.

The hawk affectionately dips into your chicken brood, showing a decided relish for uncooked poultry, but he had been hunting and sailing all over your premises for snakes and mice to satisfy his hunger, and found none.

The owl robs your hen roost in the blackest night. Educated thieves go to prison for this same offence. Which of the two are the better members of society? H. P.

Brooklyn, L. I

An Elephant Swimming the Ohio. The people of Cincinnati enjoyed rather a novel scene on Thursday last, in the crossing of the Ohio by a trained elephant belonging to a circus. The trip is thus described by the *Commercial*:—At nine o'clock Madam "Lalla Rookh" was discovered by the anxious crowd walking leisurely down to the landing on the Kentucky side, flapping her huge ears, the motion of which was distinctly visible upon this side of the river. Everything being in readiness, "Lalla Rookh" plunged into the "flowing waters," but was almost immediately lost to sight.

The cooling effects of the fluid were so agreeable that her ladyship seemed disposed to neglect the task assigned her, but regardless of the expectations of the assembled multitude, rolled and splashed around at her ease. The exertions of her keeper, who piloted her in a skiff, soon brought her to a sense of her duty, and she struck out manfully into the stream. At times nothing but the end of her trunk would be visible, then the top of her head, and again she would dive entirely out of sight, remaining under water until those on shore began to think she was drowned, when, at a sudden she would come to the surface with a surge that would throw her huge bulk half way out of the water.

Thus she proceeded, until opposite the Covington ferry landing, when an amusing incident occurred. The fleet of skiffs which accompanied her upon her trip became so numerous as to seriously incommode her ladyship, when, coming indignant, she turned about and gave them chase. The result was some rowing which would have put even the famous Harvard Boat Club to the blush. One of the skiffs she pursued to the bank. The consequence was, that, allowing due calculation for the force of the current, so as to make landing at the required point, it became necessary to take her ashore and let her try a fresh start.

The second time she started started a short distance below the mouth of the Licking, and proceeded diagonally across the river, diving and rising with a "blow" at times, and landing safely at the foot of R[illegible] street, thus giving the whole line of spectators a full view of her performances. The sight was entirely novel to the greater portion of those present, and all seemed to enjoy the spectacle exceedingly, notwithstanding the intense heat to which their position exposed them.

Educated Farmers.

There is no reason why men of the very highest education should not go to a farm for their living. If a son of mine were brought up on purpose to be a farmer, if that was the calling which he preferred, I still would educate him, if he had common sense to begin with. He would be as much better for it as a farmer as he would as a lawyer. There is no reason why a thoroughly scientific education should not be given to every mechanic. A beginning must be made at the common school. Every neighborhood ought to have one. But they do not grow of themselves, like toadstools. And no decent man will teach school on wages which a canal-boy or a hostler would turn up his nose at. You may as well put your money into the fire as to send it to a "make-believe" teacher—a great noodlehead, who teaches school because he is fit for nothing else! Lay out to get a *good teacher*. Be willing to pay enough to make it worth while for "smart" men to become your teachers. And when your boys show an awakening taste for books, see that they have good histories, travels, and scientific tracts and treatise. Above all, do not let the boy get a notion that if he is educated must quit the farm. Let him get an education that he may *make a better farmer*. I do not despair of yet seeing a generation of honest politicians. Educated farmers and educated mechanics, who are in good circumstances and *do not need office for support*, nor make politics a trade, will stand the best chance for honesty. But the Lord deliver us from the political honesty of tenth-rate lawyers, vagabond doctors, howling preachers, and bankrupt clerks, turned into patriotic politicians!

Exchange.

Incidents in the Last War in Germany.

During Napoleon's wars in Germany, a French regiment, on its march through the country, was quartered on the inhabitants of a certain village. Among the soldiers was one of a remarkable fierce and savage aspect, with a black beard, surmounted by an immense quantity of bristly hair, who in his gestures and whole demeanor, affected to personify the wild man of the woods. The farmer upon whom he happened to be billeted was terrified at the sight of his guest, and told the officer that he would agree to take in the place of such a savage, two of a less ferocious appearance. The officer agreed, and took the soldier to other houses; but, receiving the same answer, he turned him into the street to find a lodging for himself. This happened on an evening when the few members of the society (Moravian) met for edification in the hall of one of their number, who acted as their leader and kept them together. He was standing at his door, and saw the poor man passing by more than once. At length he asked him on whom he was quartered. The soldier answered, that no one would take him in.—The Brother, though somewhat alarmed by his fierce looks, on being assured that he would behave decently, [illegible] pity for him, showed him into his house. On seeing the benches [illegible] in order, and a little organ in the hall, he asked if it were a church, and was answered, that he would soon see the use to which these things were applied. He sat down in astonishment. The company assembled, a hymn was sung, a portion of Scripture read, and a prayer offered up.—The poor man was deeply affected, and exclaimed, "You are a happy people. Would God I were like you! But I heard none of these things. I am a poor wretch, and shall be shot in the next battle." The Brethren spoke kindly to him, and directed him to that Saviour who will cast none out, not even the worst. By the kindness of his charitable host, he now got a good supper and a night's lodging.

In the morning early he went out and sought the farmer who had first thrust him away, whom he demanded to see, and then informed, how and where he had found much more comfortable quarters. The farmer laughed him to scorn; and, being a great enemy of the Brethren, replied that he was very welcome to join those wretched pietists, but as for himself, he would never enter their house. "But you shall, though," cried the rough soldier, enraged at hearing his hospitable friends abused: "you shall attend this very day at their evening worship, and I will come and fetch you, and take no denial." He was as good as his word. At the proper time he appeared at the farmer's door, who, terrified by his determined manner, accompanied him, and, to the surprise of all present, was found seated next to his conductor, who fairly mounted guard over him. But now the Lord's time was come. The wrath and fright of the poor farmer vanished; and, touched by a Divine power, he sought and found forgiveness of sin through the atoning blood of Jesus. He went home in a very different state of mind from that in which he entered the house, and by his testimony his wife and family were awakened to a sense of their lost estate by nature, and with prayer and supplication sought and obtained the same mercy. The conversion of this man and his family created a great sensation in the village, and proved the means, under the influence of the Holy Spirit, of the conversion of many souls. We are not told what became of the poor soldier, but we will hope that what he heard and felt was not lost upon him, and perhaps, in the day of battle, was brought home to his soul.—*La Trob's Letters.*

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